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SUBJECT: EXTRAORDINARY MEETING AT TA'IF TO CONSIDER
1979 OIL PRICE INCREASE REPORTED
REF: VIENNA 7141
DESPITE SEVERAL RECENT DENIALS FROM OPEC SPOKESMAN
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IN VIENNA INDONESIAN EMBASSY SOURCE TOLD EMBOFF
AUGUST 9 THAT OPEC'S OIL MINISTERS ARE BEING CALLED TO
ATTEND AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING IN TA'IF, SAUDI ARABIA
ON 19 SEPTEMBER 1978 TO CONSIDER A 5 PERCENT INCREASE
IN OIL PRICES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1979. SOURCE STATED
HIS EMBASSY HAD RECEIVED ABOVE INFORMATION VIA TELEX
ON AUGUST 7 FROM KUWAITI OIL MINISTER AND "PRESIDENT

OF THE CONFERENCE", ALI KHALIFA AL-SABAH. SOURCE WAS
UNABLE TO EXPLAIN REASON FOR A SPECIAL SEPTEMBER
MEETING WHEN THIS ISSUE COULD BE ADDRESSED AT THE
REGULAR SESSION OF THE CONFERENCE SCHEDULED FOR
DECEMBER IN ABU DHABI.

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